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Now, therefore, unless you the said defend

onted by levying on certain real estate in said county of Macon.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said defendant, James R. Emith, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit Court of Macon County, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be held in the city of Decatur, beginning on the second Monday of the month of Jinnary, 1883, to wit, on the shi day of said month, give ball and plead to the said plaintiff's action, indement will be entered against you and in favor of the said plaintiff, and so much of the lands attached as may be sufficient to satisfy said indigment and costs will be sold to satisfy the same.

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ACCIDENTAL INVENTIONS.

Origin of the Bayonet, the Talescope and the Art of Lithegraphing. The bayonet is said to have derived its name from the fact that it was first made at Bayonne, and its origin illustrates the proverb, "Necessity is the mother of invention." A Basque regiment was hard pressed by the enemy the Basques led to the manufacture of the weapon at Bayonne and its adop ion into the armies of Europe. Not un frequently an invention has been suggested by some trivial event, which would have passed unnoticed had not a man with eyes and brains seen it.

Argand, a poor Swiss, invented a lamp with a wick fitted into a hollow cylinder, up which a current of air was allowed to pass, thus giving a sup-ply of oxygen to the interior as well as to the exterior of the circular flame. At first Argand used the lamp without a glass chimney. One day he was busy in his workroom, and sitting be-fore the burning lamp. His little brother was amusing himself by plac-ing a bottomless oil flash over different articles. Suddenly he placed it upon the flame of lamp, which instantly shot up the long, circular neck of the flask with increased brilliancy. It did more; for it flashed into Argand's mind the idea of the lamp-chimney, by which his invention was perfected.

One day the children of a Dutch spectacle-maker were playing with sev-eral of their father's glasses before the door of his shop. Setting two of the largest glasses together, they peeped through them and were surprised to see the weather-cock of the opposite church brought close to their eyes. They called their father to see the strange sight. He looked through the glasses, and what he saw suggested to him the possibility of constructing a curious toy. Galileo, hearing of the toy which made distant things appear close at hand, saw at once what a valuable help it would be in studying the heavens. He set to work and soon made the telescope.

An accident, that is the happening of something which was not planned, has

often helped to an invention. It helped Senefelder to invent lithography. He was a sort of Jack-of-all-trades -- a writer of verses and comedies, an actor, a fiddler, a painter, an engraver and a printer. He worked at etching on cop-per, but the coppersmith refused to let him have any more plates unless he paid cash for them. He then tried to atilize the old plates by rubbing off the etchings with a soft lime-stone. At last the copper became useless through many rubbings, and he tried etching on the stone, a plan that did not work very well. One day, while he was polishing off a stone which he intended to etch, his mother asked him to write out a list of the linen which the washerwoman was waiting to carry off. Not finding a slip of paper or a drop of ink, he wrote the list on the stone, with printing ink prepared from wax, soap and lamp-black, intending to copy it at his leisure. A few days after he was about to wipe the writing from the stone. Suddenly he thought he would learn what would be the effect of writing with the prepared ink on the stone, if it should be en in with aquafortis. to about the hundredth part of an inch, charged the lines with the ink, took severals impressions of the writing and discovered that he had invented the art of lithographing.—Youth's Companion.

Bruce's Signaling Balloon. to about the hundredth part of an inch,

Bruce's Signaling Balloon.

Mr. Eric Bruce, who has worked out the idea of signaling at night by a captive balloon, lighted inside by electric incandescent lamps, has just completed one for the Belgian Government. The signaling is effected by cutting off and letting on the current feeding the the lamps by means of a key like that used in telegraphy. Mr. Bruce's latest balloon is fifteen feet in diameter, and 2,000 cubic feet in capacity. It is made of varnished cambric, and is translucent. Six Edison and Swan lamps, of eight to ten candle power, are mounted inside; and the current is supplied by an E. P. S. accumulator of twenty-five cells of the 11 S type, in teak boxes. Teak is a wood of to its high resistance as well as durabil ity. It has long been used for tele graphic apparatus intended for hot

special value in electrical work, owing countries where destructive insects abound. The current is taken to the balloon by a flexible conductor. Mr. Bruce has also contrived a projector with lamps outside the balloon, for use in thick weather, in order to project the signals further. While upon this subject, we may mention that a captive balloon has been devised, fitted with a kite arrangement, which it is claimed gives greater steadiness and buoyancy to the balloon.—Engineering.

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agree very well. The other morning he discovered that she had appropriated his only necktie. Sarcasticus-- What are you wearing my only cravat for?" own." Sareastieus (gloomily)-"Oh, I seel It is the only tie there is be-Excitement in Texas.

Great excitement in Texas.

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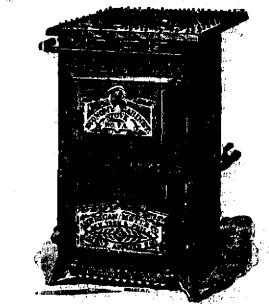
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THURSDAY EVE., OCT. 20, 1887.

CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW is reported by the Cincinnati Enquirer to have said in that city recently that David B. Hill is the shrowdest politician New York has land is creating a phenomenally good

had for twenty years; that Mrs. Cloveimpression wherever she goes; that Cleveland has a fashion of taking overybody in his confidence and airing his grisvances to the whole country with charming eimplicity, and that he enw Blaine in Europe and Blaine's health was

COUNCIL BLUFFS Nonpareil: "For the Lord's sake is that President Cleveland?" said an enthusiastic Democrat yesterday, as his highness stood on the rear platform of the special train at the Northwestern depot. "Yes, that's the old man himself," remarked another bourbon at the side of the enquirer. "Woll, if that's the duck I've been howling for during the last three years, I hope the Lord will forgive me just this once, and I'll never yell again till I see the man I'm screeching for. Holy smoke! what a mug he's got on him."

HOMEWARD BOUND.

The Presidential Party Reached Their Last Stopping Place This Morning.

And From Thence Proceed Directly to Washington--Last Day at Atlanta --Rain and Mud.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 20,-Senator Colquitt's breakfast to the presidential party was a grand affair, and greatly enjoyed participants. After leaving the bers of the party were driven back to the

the Exposition grounds before daylight, and, notwithstanding the drizzling rain, all appeared to be in the best of humor. About twelve o'clock the President and Mrs. Cleveland, accompanied by Mesars. Grady and Collier, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Piedment Exposition, resentered his floral-covered carriage. Preceded by a staff of general officers and followed by two carriages occupied by members of their party, and several squads of infantry and cavalry, the procession was started for the Exposition grounds. Upon the entrance of the distinguished visitors within the inclosure, a deafening yell from upward of thirty thousand throats went up. Cannon boomed, umbrellas shot up in the sir, and of the United States and his party.

The carriages were driven around the half-mile track until the judges' stand was reached, at which point, according to programme, the executive and Mrs. Cleveland were to alight to review the military and witness a sham buttle. The mid was so very deep, however, that it was de-cided that the President and Mrs. Clave-A delay of nearly one and a half hours then occurred, during which time the President and Mrs. Cloveland sat in their erriages under umbrellas, and Messrs.

Grady and Collier sat opposite them braving the storm, and it was raining very, very hard. It was suggested that the top of the carriage might easily be raised, out this was mot with a inder to the effect that to raise the top During the delay mentioned the growds

amused themselves watching pedestrians endeavoring to cross the race-track withent sticking in the mud. An occasional "Hurran for Jost Davis!" was also heard, from different persons in the crowd.

Finally the militia which had reached the grounds passed in review of the Presidential carriage, the Prosident standing. guests were driven back to the hotel as nameible.

Later in the day the President was entertained at an elaborate dinner by Hon. Julius T. Brown at his residence on Washington street. The front porch of Mr. Brown's elegant home was elaborately decorated with flags and banners, and on either side of the entrance to the porch a large date palm was placed, which produced a most pleasing effect with the bunting. The dining hall decorated with beautiful

Brown and Colquitt, Governor John B. Gordon, Hon. Evan P. Howell, Robert J. Lowrey, J. C. Marcy, Patrick Walsh, Henry W. Grady and Robert Falligant, and also Mrs. Julius Brown and Miss

in the evening the President rebelve the members of the weekly press of Alabama and Georgia in his private par Between four and seven o'clock Mrs.

Cieveland was entertained by Mrs. Grady, to whose residence she had been invited to meet several hundred Atlanta ladies. From this reception Mrs. Cleveland was driven to the executive mansion, where she met the President between seven and eight o'clock, and assisted him in a public recention. in which the Governor and Mrs. Gordon took part.

After nine o'clock the President and his

traveling companions reviewed a torch-light procession of "the "Young Meu's Democratic League." From the reviewing stand the party proceeded directly to the train which, at eleven o'clock drew ent of the station amid the wildest enbusiasm, en route to Montgomery, Ala. The schedule time for the arrival of the train at Montgomery is six o'clock to-

morrow morning.

From Montgomery the President and party will return directly to Washington. without Cop, unious it may be a fifteen-minute half at Asheville, N. C., which will be occupied in driving. An extension of time was asked for there, but Colone Lamont replied that the promise to the route could be driven over in aftern minutes. He says the time card from hontgomery to Washington will be adhered to without any modification. This has become an absolute necessity, as the journey would be extended several days if the application for short halts at towns sa the way were complied with. It has been found, too, that it is much more sat**isfactory to all who desire to see the Presi** dent, if the train draws slowly through stations instead of a stop, which is always attended with confusion, discomfort and would from the crushes about the car

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Civil-Service Commissioner Edgerton on Commissioner Oberly's Recent Letter.

Jeff Chandler's Statement About the Missing Telephone Papers--Prospective Row in the Cabinet.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Virginia Habeas Corpus Caser-The Fisheries Conference--The Carriage Makers' Convention.

Edgerton on Oberly.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Civil-Service ommissioner Edgerton has returned to Washington from his home in Indiana where he has been confined by ill health for several weeks. When his attention was called to Commissioner Oberly's recont letter to the Illinois Democratic Association, he talked very freely on the subject of political clubs, and took issue with Mr. Oberly on the propriety of office-holders belonging to State associations and other political consistences. and other political associations. "I do not believe," he said. "in extrem

or strained constructions of the Civil-Ser-vice laws. The law will accomplish its purpose without irritating the public mind by extreme constructions. These State organizations have as much right to exist as they ever had. There is nothing in the law to prohibit it. A man is not deprived of the privilege of citizenship because he assumes public office, and I think the idea that a man should abandon his residence in a State—his citizen-ship—when he takes office in Washington is proposterous. Why, if the law is to be construed in this extreme manner, it will array the public against it The legislative power is above us all, and if the law is to be applied so as to deprive a man of every right of citizen-ship because he takes office, the danger is that a demand will be made upon the legislative power to wipe it out. There is no necessity for anything of the sort. The haw is all right, and it only needs to be construed in accordance with common ense and practical experience. Now, in In their report of the Chicago investiga-tion in regard to the dismissal of Webster,

subordinate of Collector Seeberger, Commissioners Oberly and Lyman said; Strong political views Wahster had a right to entertain, and during the time he held a public place, it was his right to givo, at proper times, strong expres-sion to those views. The opinion is not to be telerared that because a man occupies a place in the classified civil service, he must, therefore, surrender his right to take an interest in the politics of the country. No good citizen will do so; and no degree of activity in effort to advance the interest of the party opposed to the administration should, provided his partiean activity in no way interferes with his public duties, render insecure in the service of the Government the position of any person who does not occupy a place the d scharge of the duties of which affects public politics.' Now, said Mr. Edgerton, that was said in behalf of a boomed, umbrellas shot up in the air, and Government clork's right to oppose the with the mud ankle deep, the military was Administration. Of course it will not be claimed that a clerk has not just as much right to speak and act in support of the Administration. The law does not prohibit the political clubs and State ashid these men to speak their minds politically and to exercise their rights as free men and citizens.' A law that would

> in this country." About Commissioner Oberly's order diexaminers of the Kansas City post-office, Mr. Edgerton remarked: "I don't know any thing about the case; but it must come before the board. I stand just where I have stood all the time-opposed to these investigations, unless some good cause is shown for them by the offering of strong proof.

attempt to do that would not be tolerated

Jeff Chandler's Statement WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Mr. Jeff Chand-ler writes the Critic as follows: There have appeared in your paper and in some of the New York papers sensational statements concerning the alleged loss of the original papers in the suit of J. Harris Rogers vs. Mr. Garland and others. The precise facts are as follows: It is said by the clerk of the court that the original bill and exhibits are not in his office. Ho bill and exhibits are not in his once. He holds a receipt signed by a young man in may office upon a piece of paper which has no title of cause upon it, but as it is in the pince where the court papers ought to be may fairly be prosumed to be a receipt for the Rogers bill. When and for what reason he gave the receipt he can not renumber. I have had a correct copy of the bill eyer since I was employed in the case. This, with exhibits, are all the pa-pers that I ever had any use for, and was decorated with heautiful and rare flowers, and the table was elegantly appointed. The President's dinner card was about twelve inobes square and consisted of the coat of arms of the United States, made with colored feathers. The design, which was beautiful, was made and executed in Mexico. The following named gentlemen were present: President Cleveland, Postware General Vilas, Secretary Lamont, Sena-tar-General Vilas, Secretary Lamont, The color of the court and have itsubstituted by agreement for the original bill. He said that

the court and nave its assistates aby after ment for the original bill. He said that this would not supply the exhibits. I pro-posed that in smuch as all the exhibits wore printed, copies satisfactory to him raight be filed, and the exhibits thereby supplied. I find since seeing him, that on pared and filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, a printed copy of so raugh of the as he doemed necessary to the hearing of his case. These, with the copy of the original bill, which I have depositad with the clerk, make the record ab my clients. Papers sometimes get mislaid when there are several attorneys in a case, by accident. There is little diffi-

iolutely correct between Mr. Rogers and them. I know absolutely nothing of the papers said to be missing. I never had in my possession at any time or place the papers put into the case by Mr. Garland's A Prospective Row in the Cabinet.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The Star says: There is another report current of a disagreement in the Cabinet, that may lead to one or more resignations. The trouble, it is stated, is between Mr. Garland and Mr Bayard, and grows out of the seal fishery question. The seizures of Canadian vessels in Alaskan waters made by the Treasury Department were according to the laws on the statute books. Mr. Bay ard, as is known, holds that this claim to the jurisdiction over the Alaskan waters

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When the cases came before the United States Course at Sitts it became the duty of the Attorney-General through his officials to secure the enforcement of the law as he found it, and In this to defend the action of the Treas ary Department. It is stated that the briefs in the cases prepared by the de-partment argue strongly the side of the question opposed by Mr. Bayard, and thereby place him in an awkward position in disputing the similar claim of Canada to jurisdiction beyond the three mile limit in Canadian waters. Mr. Bayard, it is stated, will lay the matter before the President on his return, and will resign if he is not sustained in his position.

The Virginia Habeas Corpus Case in the Supreme Court. WASHINGTON, Oct. 20 .- The Star, con menting on the probable outcome of the pending Virginia habeas corpus case, says: "Among the lawyers who have watched the proceedings in the Virginia habeas care as the lawyers who have watched the proceedings in the Virginia same habeas corpus case, the impression see to prevail that the Supreme Court will sustain Judge Bond. The cases involving the Virginia debt quest on which came before the court were decided by a vote of five to four. Since then one of the judges has died, and that would leave the court upon the same question—four to four. The idea is that if the four judges who sustained the Virginia debt laws against the bondholders had stood

together, the conclusion of the court would have been to defer hearing the pending case until after the appointment of the ninth judge, so as to avoid a tie; but that one or more of the former minute that the contract of the comment of the second and the comment of the comment. pority must have changed his views, or at norty must have changed his views, or at least have decided to sustain Judge Bond, and hence the fixing of the hearing in No-vember, before the vacancy in the hench can be filled. Had the conference of the judges indicated a tie, the natural conclusion is that the hearing would have been postponed until after the filling of the vacancy, as to fix it sooner, with a known ie existing, would involve the necessity of going over the whole case again."

The Fisheries Conference. Washington, Oct. 20.—It is said at the State Department that the nature of the approaching fishery conference is generally misunderstood. The conference carries with it no authority or power. It can merely result in the negotiation of a treaty subject to approval by the Senate. The secretary regards it as little more than an informal and advisory meeting of representatives of the two nations to discuss possible solutions of pending diffi-

The Carriage-Makers' Convention Washington, Oct. 20 .- The carriage makers' convention yesterday elected Hugh Johnson, of Detroit, president; Henry C. McLean, of Wilmington, Del., secretary and treasurer, and a long list of

BASE BALL.

The Same Old Story—Detroits Wins Another Game.
Philadelphia, Oct. 20.—St. Louis again succumbed to the heavy-hitters from the Straits city yesterday. King pitched well, but the big fellows were lucky in lumping their hits, and that practically gave them the game. Conway also pitch ed in fine form, and although the Browns obtained three more hits than did their opponents, they were unable to get them in close enough together to make them productive of runs. Barring Jim White's third-base play, which was way up in G, the fielding was without sensational fea-

In the first inning Latham missed an opportunity to gain first by refusing to run on a "bunted" ball, which he thought was foul, but which afterward rolled fair,

The crowd got on to him for this, and guyed him unmercifully.

The run getting began in the fourth.

For St. Louis, O'Neil was thrown out by White. Comiskey hit safely into right, and went to second on Foutz's scratch single, coming in on Welch's base drive to left center. Robinson flied to Richardson, and Boyle retired at first, Conway assisting. For Detroit, Richardson reached second on a liner to center, went to third on Ganzel's out, and scored on Rowe's hit between Latham and Gleason.

St. Louis counted in the sixth with two out. Welch hit safely to left. He should have been put out at second, but Dunlap muffed Richardson's throw. Robinson brought him in on a screeching single to left. Boyle's short fly to left dropped safely between the fields. Robinson tried to go to third on the hit, but was caught by Richardson's splendid throw to White

The Leaguers took the lead in the seventh. Rowe began with a single and went to third on a similar hit by Thompson, scoring on White's out. Duniap struck out for the third time in succession. Bennett smashed out a single to center thrown out in trying to make second Hanlon made a triple in the eighth and cored on a wild pitch. THE SCORE

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Struck out—Latham, Gleason, Robinson King (2), Richardson (2), Rowe, Dunlap (3), Bennett, Conway (2). Passed balls—Boyle, 1.

Wild pitch—King.
Time—One hour and forty minutes.
Umpires—Gaffney and Kelly.

Sec et ry Bayard's Regrets. Ottowa, Ont., Oct. 20.—Secretary Bay-ard has sent a dispatch to the Imperial government in which he expresses regret that the orders for the release of the three Canadian sealers seized in Behrings sea were not obeyed by the officers in Sitka. He says fresh orders for their release have been issued.

Solid as Brass. NEW YORK, Oct. 20 .- The lockout of erass workers continues without any signs of yielding on either sid) .

Sailed for Europe. NEW YORK, Oct. 20.-Dr. Grant Bey, the archeologist of Cairo, Egypt, sailed for Europe vesterday on the Germanic.

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Closing Hours of the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor.

Single Session of Nine Hours Without Recess. The Assembly, on the Whole, Regarded

Three Days' Business Crowded Into a

as a Victory for the Administration Party.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 20.-Three days' work was crowded into one by the General Assembly of the Knights of Labor yesterday, and every body was tired when, at the end of a continuous session of nine hours, the gavel fell and the convention declared at an end. The adjourn bulk of the delegates to eatch the evening trains, but by noon to-day only Mr. Pow-derly and two or three of his associates in the management of the order will be The administration party is, on the whole, well satisfied with what has been

accomplished, although considerable re-gretis expressed that it was not strong enough to bounce the discordant element in the executive board and confer auto cratic powers upon the general master workman. The antis, on the other hand, while deriving some consolation from this particular victory, are brim full of dis-satisfaction with the general outcome of the gathering, and unsparing in their criticisms of the treatment which they received at its hands.

Had it not been for the rigid enforcement of the three minute speech rule, and the fact that no recess for dinner was per-mitted, the convention might have continued in session for an indefinite period so numerous and important were the ques tions submitted.

First there was a proposition from the committee on law to relieve the general executive board of all authority in con-nection with strikes, unless called upon to interfere by the district or National assembly involved. The adoption of this was urged on the ground that the management of disputes had proven too heavy a task for the board, and that it might bet-ter be left with the executive boards of the district. The motion was carried.

Then there was a brief debate upon

resolution prohibiting the carrying of any other but State and National colors in Knight of Labor parades. This was opposed by some of the Chicago, New York and Detroit delegates; but on a call of the roll it was adopted by a vote of 112 to 29. Powderly's celebrated deliverance on the temperance question came up on a proposition to strike out that portion of the constitution relating to the sale of in toxicating liquors at social gatherings given under the auspices of the order; but the advocates of temperance had things

their own way, and the clause was allowed to stand by a vote of 104 to 49. The committee on grievances and appeals reported that in consequence of the volume of testimony it had been unable to reach a conclusion on the application for reinstatement from District Assembly No. 136, of New York, and recommended that the question be submitted to arbitration. The convention decided, however, that when the assembly was ready to con ply with the laws of the order, it could be restored to good standing by the ex-

ecutive board, thus leaving the matter where it stood at the close of the Richmond assembly.

The reccommendation of the genera master workman that the resolution passed at Richmond compeling all cigar makers belonging to the Knights of Labor and the International Association, to leave one or the other, be declared uncon-stitutional, as straddled by the adoption of a resolution that all eigar makers who considered themselves expeled by the action in question, might, should they desire it, be reinstated without fee. A recommendation from the committee of laws, that hereafter contributions from be optional instead of compulsory, having been approved, the convention sat down on a scheme to create a general court with

salaried members, as well as upon a num-The general executive board was instructed to issue no charters to Chinese assemblies on the ground that any other course would be detrimental to the interests of the order in the West. In response to the request of District Assembly No. 208, of England, the general master workman was empowered to appoint a man from the order in that county to take charge of affairs.

elect and initiated candidates for mem bership on the same evening was defeat-ed, the assembly holding that at least one week should elapse between the election and instration.

A report sustaining the administration of General Secretary Litchman having been adonted, the commuttee on finance called attention to the fact that \$400,000 had been spent during the past year, and recommended that the strictest economy should be exercised by the general board. Incidentally the accounts of some of the officers that had been called in question were indorsed.

The general officers were authorized to reimburse District Assembly No. 49, of New York, for the costs to be incurred in defending the members of the order who are under indictment in connection with the strike of the employes of the Old Dominion Steamship Company.

The time of the meeting of the general assembly was changed to the Tuesday following the second Monday in November; and Indianapolis was chosen as the place for the next meeting. Tom O'Reilly, in accordance with old

established custom, sang "If you will, you can be free," the delegates joined in the refrain, and the

The Prize Ring.
Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 20.—Harry
Gilmore, of Canada, and Billy Myers, of

Streator, Ills., light-weight pugilists, fought to a finish, Marquis of Queensberry rules, for \$1,000 a side and an additional purse of \$1,000. The fight took place at nine o'clock yesterday morning at a place called St. Crox, about eight miles north-Winconsin line. Gilmore entered the ring weighing 184 pounds, and Myers 186 pounds. Kip Anderson seconded Gilmore, while Sparrow Golden was behind Myers. It took only five rounds to settle the con-

In the first three rounds Gilmore rushed things and held the advantage. Then the tide turned, and Myers began to do the rushing in cyclone style. At the end of

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former, and when time was a load for the fifth round could scarcely respond. Myers again began rushing the Canadian, and after some lively sport, ended the fight by knocking Gilmore out. About \$6,000 changed hands on the result, and Minne-spotte deceased by his and of it. apolis sports dropped the big and of it.

Stock Yards Burned. WICHITA, Kan., Oct. 20.-The Wichita Union Stock Yards were totally destroyed by fire at an early hour yesterday morn-ing. About one o'clock the watchman disovered flames in the east side yards. On rushing forward to try and extinguish them he was horrified to see another fire burning about one hundred feet away. An alarm was given and the fire department quickly arrived, but the fiames had gained quickly arrived, but an hames had gather such headway that nothing could be done, the cedar posts and tar roofing burning so fiercely that water availed nothing. The first shipments of stock were in the yards

and twenty-two steers, two horses and some hogs, besides hay and corn, were burned. The yards and hotel had only just been completed at a cost of \$150,000 and were constituent in the set all since and indianapolis, every foot being under cover. The hotel is not damaged, but where the yards were yesterday there now nothing but ashes. The insurance on the yards only amounted to \$20,000.

New York, Oct. 20. — The executive committee of the Western Union Tele graph Company yesterday adopted the

ollowing: Resolved, That no advance in the rate heretofore charged by this company be made, except in case of the ten and fifteen cent rates between points where the handling of business at these rates has made an absolute lose; and, be it Resolved, That the officers of the con

pany be empowered and directed to reduce the rates now charged wherever it their judgment such reduction should be

The School-House Disaster to be Inves NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Coroner Eidman has summoned a jury composed of builders to investigate the falling of the One Hundred and Fitteenth Street schoolhouse. They visited the scene to-day. Layden, the missing bricklayer, has turned up, and it is not believed that any more bodies are in the ruins. Kelly, who built the first two stories has not been built the first two stories, has not been found. The boy Levi died to-day. This

The American Humane Association ROCHESTER, N.Y., Oct. 20.—The eleventh annual meeting of the the American Humans Association opened here yesterday morning. Mayor Persons made the speech of welcome. President Gordon's

makes the record seven killed and twelve

Heavy Purchase of Pine Lands. Owen, of this city, has purchased from Grand Rapids, (Mich.) parties, and from H. W. Early, of Chippewa Falls, their pine lands in Bayfield County. Total con-

NATURAL GAS EXPLOSION

Pittsburgh the Scene of Another Frightful and Death-Dealing

Sixty Thousand Dollars Damage Done, With a Long List of Dead and Injured.

Pittsburgu, Pa., Oct. 20.—The first ser ous natural gas explosion in this city in two years occurred a few minutes after ten o'clock yesterday morning in the Hotel Albermarle and Bijou Theater block on Sixth avenue. The explosion was attended with frightful injuries to a number of people, and great destruction to some of the finest property in the city. For several days past workmen employed by the People's Gas Company have been engaged in repairing the pipes running into the theater and hotel. The odor of escaping the theater and hotel. The odor of escaping gas was noticed early this morning, but for some reason, not yet explained, nothing was done to have the gas turned off. About quarter past ten o'clock there were three terrific exploitions simultaneously in the cellars of D. T. Reed, optician, Hotel Albermarle and the Bijou Theater. The concussion shock buildings for several someres and broke every plate-glass winsquares and broke every plate-glass win-dow in the block. Almost instantly flames shot up from various parts of the block, but before they gained much headway they were controled by the prompt work of the fire denartment

A crowd quickly gathered to view the ruins. The Hotel Albermarle, the Bijou Theater entrance and the shops which fronted on Sixth street between the hotel entrance and Library Hall, all were terri-bly shattered. An investigation showed that eight persons had been seriously hurt, two of them fatally, and at least as many more slightly hurt. The names of the

seriously injured are: A colored man, name unknown, fatally burned; removed to the Homocopathi hospital. Four customers in Davis' surgical instrument store, blown into the street. They were severely burned. Joe Geodens, laborer, of No. 4 Wylis avenue; horribly burned, and will die.

John Fleick, out shout the head and internally hurt; is in a critical condition. George Fleick, blown up against the ceiling of Davis' store; knocked insensible, but will recover.

J. Ranbetscke, proprietor of the Albe-marle cigar stand; slightly hurt. Leon M. Kucharski, employed at Davis' tore; severely injured. Jacob Dengle, laborer, living at Woods' Run; leg broken, arm crushed, injured in-ternally; will die.

M. Montbridis, an Italian laborer, of No.

2 Washington street; burned severely, but will recover. It is reported that another injured man, name unknown, has just died. The damage is estimated at about \$20,000. LATER.

The damage by the natural gas explosion this morning will possibly reach \$80,000. The damage to the Hotel Albermarle will exceed \$20,000, and is fully covered by insurance. Damage to the Bijou Theatre, \$3,500; W. M. Dodd, billiard room on second floor, \$2,500; Hart's saloon, first floor Albermarie, \$1,000; Reed, optician. \$2,000. insured for \$1,000; Feick Bros., artificial limbs, \$4,500, insured for \$2,000. The total amount of plate-glass destroyed will reach \$1,000. Mr. Pew, representing the People's Natural Gas Company, notified all persons interested that his company will pay all

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Estate of Ann Gill, Deceased.

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Dated this 17th day of October, 1887.

New York, Oct. 30.—The twenty-first sanual general convention of the Universalist Church began here yesterday. Secretary J. L. Demarres, D. D., reported that the convention of the convention o that there are 916 Universalist parishes in the United States and Canada with a the United States and Uanada with a membership of 36,297, and properly valued at \$7,226,569 (less debt). The committee in profession of faith reported an ameded profession. It declares the necessity of personal regeneration, but predicts the final holiness and happiness of all mankind.

Wife Murder and Sufcide. POTTSVILLE, Pa., Oct. 20 .- Henry Staffer, aged seventy four years, yesterday norning shot and killed his wife, aged fifty-six years, and then committed suicide by shooting himself in the mouth. The couple were married about a year The couple were married above a year, ago, he being a widower and she a widow. Staffner was comparatively well off, but of a penurious and morose disposition, and the couple never lived harmoniously. Each leaves a family of adult children.

Indicted for Crusity to Animals. LANCASTER, N. H., Oct. 20.—The grand jury of Cook County yesterday found an indictment against Dr. Webb. of New York, son-in-law of the late W. H. Van-derbilt, and Major Wetmore, for cruelty in driving a six-horse team to the summit of Mt. Washington from Glanhouse, eight miles in one hour, nine minutes and An Important Decision.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Oct. 20.—The master is chancery in the case of Cornelius Vander bilt against James I. Bennett, Dr. Hos tetter and other parties to the trust deed of the Pittsburgh & Lake Eric railroad, filed his decision yesterday. He decides that the trust deed, if valid at all, is merely a power of attorney or proxy revokable at will by any party named

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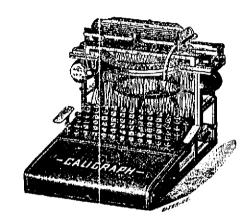
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THURSDAY EVE., OCT. 20, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS.

BARTHOLOMEW'S for Dolls.

CONSULT Dr. Lewin at the St. Nich BILLY HOLLAND, of the Hotel Brune wick, provided the sumptuous banquet for the Red Men's reception last night. THE tickets for the Sam Jones lecture

are selling rapidly at 50 cents each. On sale at Lutz's music store. POPULAR with the ladies-Shellabar-

ger's White Loaf and Daily Bread flour. John Inwin has another novel advertisement in this issue, headed "Fortuna's Oracles." Study the circle and your

The best of family groceries at J. Lytle & Co.'s popular store in Opera block. THE total assessed value of railroad property in Illinois is \$66,571,236, an in-

oreaso of \$3,599,000 over last year. ELIAS MOORE has brought us a sample of the second growth of crab-apples at

SILAS McManus, shot in the face and and neck by John Hancock, is not believed to be in danger. Ho was resting reasonably well to-day. A slight reaction has set in, causing fever and pain.

Ask for White Foam flour. You will CONREID's opers company has made a

big hit at the Columbia theatre, Chicago, in Stranss' opera, "The Gypsy Baron." TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer on the Mound for good oats.

THE "Little Nugget" company had a large audience last night and as usual made the people holler." Josie Sisson is dangerously ill in Chicago, but Miss Midgely took her place and acquitted

J. G. DANZEISEN & Son will have on sale on and after Saturday, new ham and breakfast bacon, of their own make. Call and get some choice meats. THE members of the Young Republi-

can's Club are talking about securing s suitable room for permanent headquarters. The next campaign is not far off. THE best of fruits and fresh Baltimore oysters every day at Knode & Osborne's etore, 121 North Water street. THE Lincoln Journal is no more. It

as been bought by R. V. Mallory, and is merged into the Monitor, published by

Vater street for choice : and fresh country butter.

A READING class, for pupils from twelve years upwards, will be organized at the Musical College on Saturday, October 22d, at 1:30 p. m. Tuition, one dollar for

A common remark: "I don't see why he shoes we buy at Powers & Haworth's last so much longer than the ones bought in other stores." [oct 20-dtf

On Thursday evening next the Decatur Cigarmakers' Union will give their annual ball at Guards' Armory. The Opera Orchestra will furnish the music. Tickets

THE Round Oak heaters and Cyclone washing machines are on sale at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

James G. Long, an old citizen of Tayorville, died at the Long House yesterday of gangrene, aged 63 years. Previous to 1880 he held a position as clerk in the government land office at Washington, D. C., for ten years. He leaves one grown daughter, an aged mother, one sister and two brothers.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

THURSDAY, OCT. 20. Court convened at the usual hour. A VICTORY.

In the assumpsit case of Geo. W. Stubblefield Co., of Bloomington, against A. and Nancy Wait, of Decatur, the jury rendered a verdiet in favor of the defendants, thus relieving them om paying \$300 and interest, balance claimed in the purchase of a stallion. COMMON LAW DOCKET.

The debt case against John Trainer was dis issed by the plaintiff. William R. Klzer vs. H. H. Gilmore; appeal Dismissed for want of prosecution. Craig & Cooper vs. School District No. 3, 18, 2, , et al; assumpsit. Sult dismissed as per agree-

Z. Boughn vs. Martin Albert, appellant peal. Continued by agreement.
CHANCELLY DOCKET.

Daniel Young vs. Sarah Young; divorce. Mo tion by defendant for temporary alimony. Br.4 you buy your fuel call and see W. C. Rowe, 726 North Water street. He sells Decatur Coal, Hard Coal, Cord-

wood, green or dry, Stove Wood and Chunks. Telephone 139. 18-d2w On October 19th to 21st the I. C. R. R vill sell excursion tickets from Decatur to Mosweque at 65 cents for the round

trip, good to return up to October 22d. ecount of Moawequa fair. 18-dtd Debatur Coal.

The Decatur Coal Company is always prepared to supply the local trade with fuel at the lowest ruling prices. Prompt delivery a specialty. Up-town office at Armstrong's drug store—telephone 227.

ALL kinds of upholstering goods stock at A. Beer's, Lincoln Square.

I have on hand, of my own manufac-ture, a considerable quantity of sweet and fermented new wine, also old wine which can be obtained by learing orders with Henry Baner, Advantage of the street - printing Bullett &PANTE

DADER DER MERET he Water Street Wabash Flagman Knocked Down and Killed.

This forenoon shortly before 11 o'clock, R. Gallo, the Italian flagman at the Water street crossing of the Wabash road, was knocked down by a car pushed by a switch engine, and was horribly mangled, death resulting instantly. The deceased was 53 years of age, and was at work with his flag keeping the crossing clear for a passing gravel train. He stood on a track with his back to the car pushed by the switch engine. He did not realize his danger, and did not know of the presence of the car until he was struck. The wheels ground his body into a shapeless mass. The engineer and switchman could not see the old man, as the car was in the way. Cormer Perl took charge of the remains and for six monshs. He went to jail. will hold an inquest this afternoon.

The deceased, who was a veteran of the late war, formerly resided at Peru. Ind., coming here a year ago. He had been separated from his wife 10 years. He boarded at Mrs. Hickey's place on

Burnt to the Ground. The edifice of the Church of God at Boiling Springs, four miles northwest of Decatur, was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock—a loss of \$1,000; no insurance. A special revival has been in progress there about two weeks, and another service was to have been held there last night. Daniel Good, with a lantern, was engaged in filling the lamps from a 5-gallon can of rasoline, when the oil took fire, igniting he carpet and extending to the wood work. Henry Ferrell, who lost a \$16 vercoat in the conflagration, threw the eaking can out of the door. The church

organ was rescued. This morning the citizens of the neighborhood met at the scene of the fire and resolved to build a new church before December 1st. The burnt church was built 35 years ago. The present pastor is Rev. W. A. Smith, the old gentleman who assisted Mrs. Maria B. Woodworth at the faith cure

The Hill-Price Wedding. The marriage of Francis G. Hill and

Miss Minnie A. Price was celebrated Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Price in Wheatland township in the presence of fifty guests. Rev. L. Field was the officiating elergyman. The bride received a number of beautiful presents and the company partook of a fine supper. Mr. and Mrs. N. G. French, of Pana were present. Regrets were received from friends in Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Hill will be given a reception to-night by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill, in Blue Mound township, where the groom owns a fine farm and where the couple will reside.

This morning the Fisk Brothers found ome venerable fruit in jars in "the den" at the furniture store, stored away by the late R. Liddle. There are 10 full jars in the collection, pineapples, cherries, pears and crabapples, canned in 1868 to 1870. Fisk Bros. offer the public a chance to sample the fruit. Call at the store.

He Likes a \$10 Limit. Sol. Moritz, the dry goods merchant, is in receipt of a long letter from his nephew, Albert Moritz, who is a graduate of the Annapolis Naval Academy, and both the Manapolis Navia Releasily, in the United States man-of-war, Juniata, now stationed at the Sandwich Islands. He writes from Honolulu under date of lept. 12, and says:

"Last Wednesday a hop was given on board the Adams which King Kalakua and I attended. The old fellow is bulky, dusky and good-natured, and dearly loves poker with a \$10 limit. Several officers of the fleet accommodated (I was SEE Hanks & Patterson, at 143 South going to say fleece) him. . The natives going to say fleece) him. . The natives speak a language made up entirely of

vowers. The manners, customs, idiom and slang are entirely American, intend to visit Miss Ah F. Foug, charming Chinese heiress. She has two palatial residences, and is partial to American officers. American officers. . The heat is intense in the engine room; in seven days steaming it averaged 105 to 117 degree above zero. I suffered slightly."

THE Tabernacle which is being rapidly transformed into an attractive lecture and music hall, has been engaged for Sam Jones' great popular lecture, "Get There," on Saturday night, November 5th. Five hundred chairs have been reserved and tickets placed on sale at Prof. Lutz's music store. The admission price is 50 cents, but the 500 reserved seat tickets will be sold at the same price to those who buy before they are all sold.

Way suffer with that aching head when you may be cured with Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

Send a 2-cent stamp to Dr. J. C. Ayer k Co., Lowell, Mass., for a set of their attractive album cards

CHILD's Seamless Calf Button Dongola Pops are just the thing to give long service.

Powers & Haworth,
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Sole Agents.

Merchant's Notice.

Webber's Bad Debt Collecting Agency s just the thing to collect your bad debts. Mr. Webber has adopted a new

plan for collecting, and the merchants of phin for chang, and the special phin for change and special phin speci Springfield, Ill.

A BUSINESS education is indispensable Book-keeping is taught by actual business practice, buying, selling, shipping and receiving mase, using all the business papers and forms in every day use, and doing business with a real, live bank. Short hand and Type-writing. Day and evening session, at 252 N. Water street. Send for circular.

EVERY wife and mother in the country should know the great value of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, as a blood purifier. It gives tone, health, and strength to the vital organs, corrects all irregularities, and expels impurities from the system. Young and old use it. Price \$1.

Morehouse, Wells & Co. are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood. Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fine Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything perfaining to this line. No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere.

WHITE VESTS for barkeepers at B. GOLD-HEADED SHK Umbrellas, the finest in market, at B. Stine's. dtf

THE Maileable Iron Hollow Ware made

by the Home Comfort Range Co., is quite a curiosity. It is like the Ranges—inde-structible. Stop at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s and see this ware. It cannot be

REMEMBER, you can get the only Booth Oysters at Dinges & Coop's—wholesale and retail agents. [sep 28-dlm

PHOTO VALL Alfred Wood, a one-armed man, wer to his home on South Jackson street last evening, full of bad whisky. He engaged in a quarrel with his wife and his mother

The 60 members of the youthful order n-law, Mrs. Mallory. It ended by Wood in Decatur, Chippewa Tribe, No. 35, L. O. cleaning out the house, the women being assaulted. The wife says her husband threw his infant child out into the street but fortunately did not injure it. Justice Curtis issued a city warrant for Wood's arrest, and Officers Butts and Lilly locked him up. Doubtless Wood will be put under a state bond to keep the peace, if he is not dealt with more severely. The women were much excited last night, and said they had finally decided to put Wood through for his chronic meanness. They were unable to stand it any longer. LATER-This forenoon Wood had a hearing before Cartis on a peace warrant He waived examination and was put under bonds of \$300 to behave himself

Unaided Mrs. W. R. Bradley to-day sold her brick residence property at the corner of Eldorado and Broadway streets to H. H. and C. H. Brown for \$10,000. The lot has a frontage on Eldorado of 83 feet and 160 feet deep, and is one of the most desirable locations in the city for a residence or business block. We understand that the dwelling will be improved somewhat and will be occupied jointly by the Brown families. In this transfer Mrs. Bradley secures four fine lots in Brown's addition on Haworth

Sold for \$10,000.

Avenue as part payment. Mr. Caldwell's Resignation. Mr. H. J. Caldwell, Gov. Oglesby's private secretary, has tendered his resigns. cion, and, in company with his accom plished wife, will go to Earl Park, Ind., to live. Mr. Caldwell has formed a partner-ship with W. B. Fowler, the great live stock man of Indiana, and will hereafter devote his energies to a more satisfactory and lucrative occupation than politics Both leave many warm friends here. Mr Caldwell's resignation does not take effect until the first of next month. He will be succeeded here by Robert Oglesby, the governor's son.—Springfield

PERSONAL MENTION.

Major Smith and daughter, Miss May, of Chicago, were in the city yesterday. Mrs. James Shoaff, of Paris, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Colladay. Miss Florence Rainey is home from

uscola, where she was a guest of Mrs. J. Mrs. A. E. Murphy, Miss Maggie Cloyd ind Miss Mary Cloyd were in St. Louis resterday visiting the Exposition.

John G. Stauffer will leave for Dallas, Texas, Sunday. He will build himself a \$6,000 home at Dallas this season. Charles Hughes, state's attorney for Piatt county, was in the city last night to get Judge Hughes' signature to a

Rev. T. B. Tait and wife, of Niles, O., who have been visiting Mr. T.'s brother, J. B. Tait, for the last three weeks, left or home to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Yoakum, of Piatt county, are in the city, completing arrangements for a six months trip to California. They will start about Dec. 1st. Constable Weitsel visited Pana yesterday to summon witnesses in the damage case of Harpstrite vs. the Decatur Coal

Max Zoellnex, business agent for "Zozo, the Magic Queen," was in the city to-day. This great spectacular performance will appear Thursday evening, October 2014.

Mrs. F. M. Young, Mrs. B. O. McRey-nolds, Miss Rogers and Miss Bradsby were in Bloomington last night attending the Dickens reception at the residence of Mrs. J. S. Ewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Powers, Mrs. Albert Barnes, Mrs. V. G. Hatch, Mrs. A. T. Hill, Mrs. W. T. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bartholomew, Mrs. Dr. Walston, Miss Jennie Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Control of the Decature visitors to Carter are among the Decatur visitors to

Springfield Journal: Mrs. J. H. Lewis of Decatur, the founder and suthor of the "Social Circle," for the study of American literature, is in the city at the invitation of some of the literary ladies for the purpose of organizing here the work which has proven so successful in other places. She has met a number of those interested and has received much

Muleady & Son.

Custom-made suits at prices to suit every one, can be obtained of Muleady & Son, who have just received an elegant line of Piece Goods, consisting of fine suitings, light and heavy-weight overcoatings; also pantaloon goods. These gentlemen are doing a large business, and are second to none in furnishing fits and doing good work. A trial is all they and doing good work. A trial is all they ask, as they feel sure they can please the most fastidious. [Oct 20-d2w

The Drama To-Night. "On the Rio Grande" is the title of the play to be presented in Decatur for the

first time to-night by a company of artists, many of whom have appeared here in former years. The drama is of that rare nature for romantic plays which does not require only one star actor, but a large and good company, and the char acters are so drawn that all afford fine opportunities for acting. The drama abounds in dramatic situations of the most thrilling nature. The story is a strong one, and its interest never flags. The curtain rises on the home of Harold Ripley, a young cattle raiser on the banks of the Rio Grande. His greatest reasure is his sweet sister, Dora. Morgan Mortimer, a wealthy cattle king, asely loves this girl, and failing to gain treasure is his sweet sister, Dora. her consent to his desires, secures the assistance of Del Paso, an outcast, and carries her off to his ranch on the border. The outcast proves to be Dora's brother who through no fault of his own, but be cause of the baseness of Mortimer, suffered imprisonment, and was made an outlaw. The recognition between the two brothers makes the stirring finale of the second act. In the next act, Del Paso, in his eagerness to rescue his sister, has stolen a horse. For this he is captured by the vigilance committee, who propose to lynch him. He is, however, granted a respite through the efforts of his brother and Daniel Webster Byall, an eccentric old fellow from down East, who have were the his beat and the west acts. second act. In the next act, De eccentric old fellow from down mast, whe knows more than his looks would indi-cate. Everything is straightened out in the final act, Mortimer and his wicked associates receiving their just deserts, and and all the good people what they de-

Attention, Knights Templar. Regular conclave of Beaumanoir Com-

nandery No. 9, K. T., this (Thursday) vening at 7:30 o'clock. A full attendance equested. Visiting Sir Knights cordially F. M. Young, E. C.

To Exchange.

I have a well located and established lrug store in Wellington, Kansas, to exchange for nencumbered residence proprty in Decatur, Ill. Stock, \$3,000. Dr. A. CHEROWETH, Wellington, Kanes

Reception and Banquet by the Rec Men-A Growing Order.

of Red Men, gave a pleasant reception at their wigwam in the hall of Celestial Lodge of Odd Fellows last night, there being a large attendance of visitors, among them Hon. Owen Scott, editor of the Bloomington Bulletin, Grand Representative; Hon. A. F. Heineman, Grand Sachem; Hon. F. Y. Hamilton, brother of ex-Governor Hamilton, George W Stubblefield, Albert Loudan, W. A Hoover, of Bloomington, and others. The local warriors and hunters with their children were there, and the membership made all feel perfectly at home. The hall is beautifully furnished and seats were provided for the company, when the following entertaining programme was ob-

After music by the orchestra and brief interval, the guests were ushered into the banquet hall where a sumptuous feast was spread under the direction of the caterer, Will Holland, of the Brunswick Hotel. The six long tables were nicely arranged and nearly 100 people partock of the banquet. The reception was a source of great enjoyment to all who praised the chiefs and warriors for their American hospitality.

The Independent Order of Red Men a brotherly and benevolent institution that is growing rapidly in membership in Decatur and throughout the state. The beautiful Indian ceremonies are very attractive and the advantages of the order are such as cannot be secured in so large a degree in any other organization Many prominent men of the state are members. It will be but a short time until the Tribes will be in every city in the west with thousands of members in

A Dreadful Accident.

Four miles north of Cisco in Piatt county yesterday Turner Reeves fell off a traction engine while it was in motion coming in contact with the cogs. In a flash his left arm was ground off at the shoulder and he was otherwise frightfully torn. Dr. Cass Chenoweth was sum moned to Cisco to give the man surgical reatment. There is little or no hope of his recovery. Reeves is a young man of 30 and has a family. John Reeves is his father. All are in good circumstances. Turner stated that he had been told repeatedly not to get on the engine, but he never heeded the advice. He got on yesterday to adjust the governor belt, and when he fell the fireman stopped the engine but it was too late.

SECRETARY CLOYD, of the Decatur Board of Trade, states that so far as he knows, the P., D. & E. road is the only company that has got out a new tariff under the agreement that affords advantage for Decatur shippers and merchants

Sales of Real Estate.

John A. Brown, master in chancery, t Mary M. Willoughby, the northeast quarter of section 16, township 4, range 2 east n Macon township; consideration, \$9,280. Mrs. Fannie Bennett to Lewis Bennett, quit claim to the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 11, and 11 acres off the west end quarter of the porthwest quarter of the northeast quarter of same section, all in township 18, range one east, Austin township; consid

eration, \$110. John A. Brown, master in chancery, to Ednor Ticknor, the southwest quarter and the south half of the northwest quarter of section 4, township 16, range

Public Sale.

Having rented my farm for a term of five years, I will on Tuesday, the 25th day of October, sell at public auction on said farm, situated two and one-fourth miles east of Pecatur, Ill., on the road known as the Spangler Mill road, the following described personal property, to-

Eleven head of milch cows, some now giving milk and others will calve this fall.

Thirty-five head of steers—one, two and three year olds. Also two yearing heifers.

The above mentioned stock will be sold

on a credit of 12 months, purchaser giv ing note with approved security, without interest until due, and if not paid when due, to draw interest at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum from date until paid. Sale to commence at 1 p. m. oc19-dawtd SAMUEL McROBERTS

"But oh! what damned minutes tell he o'er" who suffers, but waits; who writhes, yet moans, before he makes up his mind to send out for just twenty-five cents worth of Salvation Oil, the pain

They say the average politician is getting hourse talking about tariff and no tariff; but he cures his cold every night with Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and begins afresh next morning with the lark.

At the residence of Henry Foster, October 19 by Rev. F. W. Niedermeyer, Edward Boone and Miss Mary Deppe, both of Decatur.

By Rev. George E. Scrimger, at the residence of the bride's mother. No. 115 North Water of the bride's mother, Ad. 15 North Water street, at 8:30 p. m., on Tuesday, October 18th, 1887, Harry Webber, of Springfield, and Miss Minnie Boith, daughter of Mrs. A. A. Anthony. DIED. On October 19, of dropsy, Mrs. Charles Harp-

The funeral will take place Friday from the

family residence near Sangamon Station. The bereaved husband is a brother of Edward and Augustus Harpstrite, of Decatur. Of membranous croup, on October 19, Harry ,, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Reubsamen, aged a months. The funeral will take place at 10 a. m. to-morow from the family residence, No. 855 West

Chicago Gram Market. The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, agent of J. M.

thaw & Co., Commission Merchants: WHEAT-70% Oct; 71% Nov; 73% Dec; 8½ May. Corn—41 Oct; 41½ Nov; 40½ Dec; 4½ May. Oars—25% Oct; 25% Nov; 25½ Dec; 191/2 May. PORK—\$14.00 Oct; \$12.50 Nov; \$11.97

LARD-\$6.20 Oct; \$6.12 Nov; \$6.17 Jan.
Ribs—\$7.05 Oct; \$6.50 Nov; \$6.07 Jan;
Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs
22,000; prospects about steady.
Cattle, 11,000; prospects easier.
Car Lots—Wheat: Winter 20; Spring
107; Corn, 323; Oats, 133.

SPENORS, LETTERN & Co. sell theold re-iable Peter Shoulds and Moline Wagon.

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200 Pieces American Dress Goods, at 124c, worth

6-4 English Twills at 15c, worth 20c. Gilbert's 40-in. Novelties at 50c, worth 85c. 36-inch All Wool Suitings at 39c, worth 50c. Serges at 48c, worth 65c.

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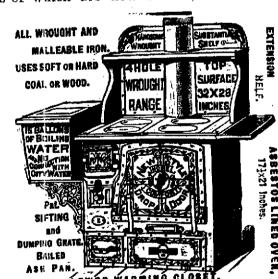
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"Home Comfort Ranges" are warranted to give entire satisfaction; there are thousands in use, and the universal verdict is this: "We would not part with our Home Comfort Range at ANY PRICE, could we not get

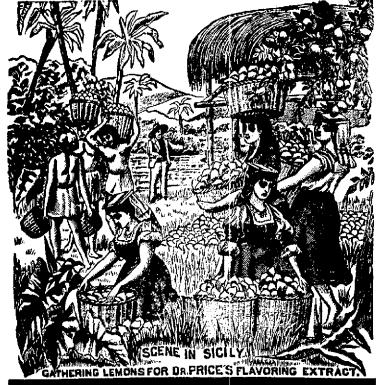
We shall be glad to show you the various sizes, give prices and explain the merits of the

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Which has been fitted and furnished for the convenience of our patrons, and contains all the

LATEST LEADING NOVELTIES

We desire to bring this Department more fully before the public, and can assure them that we have the nicest line of Kilt Suits. two-piece Suits, pleated and plain, and Children's Overcoats ever shown in Decatur.

We kindly ask you to call and examine our beautiful stocck.

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Durfee Bros.' Old Stand, Decatur.

O, where is a baine for baby?

Come, tell me every one,
Give me a name as sweet as a rose,
And bright as the morning sta.

A name that shall tell wheraver 'tis heard
The graces and charms of this baby bird.

Yes, tell me some names for baby,
All pure and beautiful things,
Fair as a bud, tender as love,
And glad as a bird's light wings.
Yes, baby's name, when whispered o'er,
A thousand charms must hold in store Then, give me a name for baby,

Then, give me a name to busy,
For a queen a court or busy,
And one befitting her royal brow
Must dainty be and rare.
Surely all of earth's wondrous lore,
Some fitting name must hold in store.

Yes, give me a name for baby From earth, or sea or six.
We can't always call her "Pearl" and "Pet,"

O, for a name that in all its parts.
Will adorn our queen, our 'queen of hearts.'
—Clara J. Denton, in Good Housekeeping. MIND YOUR BUSINESS.

If You Don't Know How, Read This Sketch.

Unfortunately a great many people nowadays seem in danger of forgetting this honor-deserving maxim: Unfortunately for themselves in that so much nttention to the affairs of others rather necessitates a neglect of one's own, and even more unfortunate for the victim of this self-appointed regulator of human affairs, who is not allowed to turn his own wheel of destiny. "To what do you owe your success in

life?" asked a young man of one his "To one simple rule," was the reply.

"And that?" "To mind my own affairs." Then

noting a shade of astonishment upon the face of his listener he added: "But, my young friend, you must bear in mind that the injunction covers greater ground than merely non-interference in the affairs of others, you must also attend to your own; which implies in short an observance of all Christian duties, doing your duty in fact."

The young man looked up with a quick, bright smile of acceptance. "I never heard it presented in that light before," he said, "but it's all so. If: you really mind your own affairs, spiritual as well as temporal, you will be an A 1 masculine. Now, won't you?"

The elder man smiled at this impetuous reception of his tenets, and was about to speak further upon the subject when his irrepressible companion exclaimed: "Say, if you don't mind the time.

you know, let us walk down the street and see how many of these people are minding their own affairs.' friend laughed heartily.

'Agreed! You lose no time in following up your observations, do you, Ellis, my boy?" "No, swift pursuit is my motto

Come on, Neil!" At the corner of the street the elder of the two men paused with a significant nod toward the crossing, where two feminine fashion plates awaited a

car, and Ellis paused just in time to hear:
"I shouldn't think he would call twice a week, should you?"

"Oh, yes! two or three times, and people say they are engaged." "Wonder how much he is worth?"

"Worth, I guess, she says she is going to have her dresses from him after she is married." 'Bright, aren't you? But, by the way, I wonder how Mr. A. makes his

money? He spends more than any man at the club, George says, But Mr. A.'s financial history was

not further disclosed, to our friends at least, as the car received upon the platform the two would-be chroniclers. "No chance to score one there for a minding of one's own affairs, is there, Ellis?" laughed Neil. "Woman and

fresh and it must be confessed highly indignant voice at his elbow. "The greatest gossip I ever knew in my life was a man. You cynic!" and with this parting shot the young lady acquaintance of the gentlemen who had overheard this slander of her sex glided past them, turning to bestow upon the offender a glance which she ssured him was supposed to be com-

"Fine girl, that Miss Dolores!" said the susceptible Ellis. "Rich, too, isn't she? Wonder if she is really engaged to that puppy Blank, tailor made and brain room empty. Suppose he is after her money! Somebody ought to warn the girl: She's prime and I want

her to do well!" "Then she'd better marry you," said a merry, mocking voice behind him, because, you know, a man seldom sees the really desirable article except

in his looking glass." "Hard hit, weren't you, my boy?" said Neil, with a hearty ha! hal as the speaker vanished in the crowd. "A lucky interruption, however, for you were fast forgetting your own affairs in

those of Miss Dolores." The young man laughed. "Well, I must confess, Noil, that taking it all in all, the people minding their own affairs are not very plenty. But look at

that innocent group yonder. Surely there we shall find it to perfection." But his anticipation met with speedy demolition as one cherub voice raised an octave announced: "You did take the apple, Willie Grey, 'cause I was watching to see if you behaved good."

"There it is again! Watching Willie's behavior instead of her own. Do you give up the search, Ellis? No! Let us lunch then and seek further." The cafe was almost deserted, and

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dining hall, where they might note the various people coming and going, and note also how many of them were minding their own affairs, how many interesting themselves in their neigh-

Ellis, the young enthusiast, grew quite interestedly merry over the affair, although confessing the evidence rather too one-sided to be agreeable to

De Lancy, the aristocratic boudholder, pronounced wholesale condemnation upon the pools and corners of his confreres, forgetting to make mention of his own; Jones, the alderman, while conveying a generous bribe to his ever open pocket with one hand, used his other to gesticulate his scathing denunciation of city hall corruption; the deacon bemoaned the backsliding of his brother: the lawyer designated as a pettifogging rascal the attorney who had been so fortunate as to gain a victory over him, denouncing those methods a shade whiter than his own; the physician hurled all pathies save his own to perdition; the artist saw false lights on another's canvas: a musician struck the false notes of another's melody; a mechanic pointed out

the defects of a co-worker's machinery; even Alonzo criticised the mustache of his rival, and Flora Flimsey thought if she were those Smith girls she would not act as they did! Miss Prim gasped between shocked spasms that "that forward French girl visiting the Browns actually looked at a man and giggled;" and even little Daie, a charub newly descended, lisped that she "asked God every night to make her brother a better boy. Ellis looked at his friend with a help-

less expression of discouragement. "Tell me, Neil, are you the only man living who minds his own affairs?" His friend laughed heartily. "Oh, not my boy, I scarcely deserve that

distinction. But do you not fancy from your two hours' observation that I was right in urging a return to the good old maxim? And have you no curiosity to hear how I happened to differ from the generality of mankind in this respect, or how, in fact, I learned to mind my own affairs, for I did learn?" "Of course I should like to hear

about it!" for I confess your ability to do so is something of a mystery to me since I discovered how rare the faculty and how naturally people incline in the opposite direction. "Well, then, to go back to the days

of youth and India (that Mecca and destruction as well of so many young men). I was stationed there when in that state of mistaken verdure where a youth inclines to the belief that he is a sort of self-appointed regulator of all human affairs ' "What, Neil! you ever the victim of

your own importance! I can not credit the thing! "True, nevertheless. I vainly im-

agined myself a sort of demi-god, and such in greater or less degree the arbitrator of my fellows. So it transpired that I, a mere stripling, sought to manage another life as well as my own, or rather instead of my own, choosing for my easy to be molded pupil a young fellow of our regiment whom I fancied very tractable clay in my hands. Well, to make a long story short, I appointed myself sole guardian and director of the boy, and while ecretly feeling a sort of contempt for the weakness that would make a man only a puppet in the hands of another, I could not fail to feel also a pride in what seemed complete victory over another being. Judge, then, my disappointing chagrin to receive one morning this letter, which I have always kept by me to effectually enforce an observance of the old maxim. Yes," as Ellis hesitated, "you may read it, a deadly wound to my self-importance in the past, 'tis not displeasing to me gossip are synonymous terms, I now, since proving the young fool has fancy."

"And indeed they are not," said a respect at least. But read for your-

The epistle was dated twenty years agone, and was as follows:

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And above all, now and evermore, attend to

our own affairs. "One instance of good advice followed," said Ellis handing back the letter. "I believe I, too, will act upon

"Amen!" fervently ejaculated his companion, and both arose from the table.—Detroit Free Press.

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2. That such permit shall be issued by the clerk upon his receipt of the usual certificate of death, signed by (1) the attending physician in the case; of, if none, by (2) one of the parents of the deceased; of, if none, by (3) the nearest of kin not a minor; or, if none, by (4) the resident householder where the death occurred; or, if none, by (5) any reputable citizen cognizant of the facts and circumstances of the death; or, if the death be the subject of an inquest, by (6) the coroner or other officer holding said inquest, for which permit the clerk shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents.

3. That any undertaker or sexton, and each

permit the clerk shall be entitled to a fee of fifty cents.

3. That any undertaker or sexton, and each and every other person engaged or concerned in a burial in volation of the provisions of this ordinance, and the officers and employes of any transportation company, or any other person or persons engaged or concerned in the removal of a dead body from said city, or within one-half nile thereof, in violation of the provisions of this ordinance, shall be subject to a fine of not less than five dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense.

4. That the clerk shall enter in a suitable book to be kept for that purpose, a record of all burial permits issued, specifying—the mate of issue and to whom issued, together with all the items of information contained in the certificates upon which the issue of such permit is based; and he shall forward to the county eight, of Messacounty, at the end of each month, all of said certificates so received during the month.

5. That this radinance shall be in force from and after its passage, approval and publication. Passed this 3d day of Cetober, 1887.

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Sheriff's Sale.

Bheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County Court of Mission county, Illinois, in favor of W. Y. Royer, and against-solus Trainer. Charles T. Pope and Entily V. Trainert, I have levied upon the tollowing described property, to wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter and in section No; twenty (29), township No. fifteen (b), range one (t) cast of the 3rd. Trincipal Meridian (contining ist and 33-00ths acres) in Nacon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Emily V. Trainer, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decarity, in Micon county, in said state, on the 25th day of October, A. D. 1887, at the hour of two (9) orlock p. m. of said day, for each in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 3d day of October, A. D. 1887.

J. H. MAUZY, os-did Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

PUBLIC SALE. The undersigned will sell at the residence of A. Cooper, three miles west of Decatur, on the springlied road, Wednesday, October 26, 1887, the following property: I heavy draft team, I samily buggy horse, I readsier team, 2 two-year-old draft cots, I good nare, I good brood mare with toal to the Monarch of the East, I yearing cotl, I sucking colf. 12 milet cows, 18 two-year-old.—part steers; 5 two-year-old hefters, 2 at cows, 18 hort-Horn bull, I tersford bull, 14 cows.

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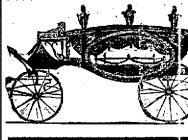
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This 3rd day October, A. D. 1887.

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